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Sir:

## AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

This amendment is not being filed in response to the Office Action mailed November 14, 1997. A separate paper will be filed that is responsive to that Action. Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to extend the period for response to May 14, 1997. Applicants request that the \$930.00 extension fee be charged to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916. Applicants also request that the \$80.00 fee for an extra independent claim also be charged to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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